

## Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors

Supervisor Jason Haas, 14th District

MEDIA ADVISORY: <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>August 13</u>, <u>5:30PM</u>

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## Mitchell Park Domes Task Force Expected to Vote on Final Recommendations Tuesday

MILWAUKEE – At its <u>final meeting</u> Tuesday night, the Mitchell Park Domes Task Force will consider and vote on recommendations to the County Board of Supervisors for restoring and preserving the iconic structures, which house the County's horticultural conservatory and are in need of repair.

The Task Force is expected to consider an endorsement of a 160-page business plan and conceptual design that re-envisions Mitchell Park and the Domes for the next 50 years. The plan proposes to cover the cost of repairing the three domes using private funds, grants, and county bonding, activating the entirety of Mitchell Park by adding several amenities, expanding on programing, and partnering with institutions like the Medical College of Wisconsin and the Milwaukee Area Technical College.

Any recommendations from the Task Force would next come before the County Board Committee on Parks, Energy and the Environment, and then proceed to the full Board for consideration.

The Milwaukee County Task Force on the Mitchell Park Conservatory Domes was <u>established</u> in 2016 after all three domes were temporarily closed due to spalling concrete. The Board of Supervisors directed the Task Force to develop a comprehensive long-term plan for the Domes.

WHO: Milwaukee County Task Force on the Mitchell Park Conservatory Domes

**WHAT:** Final meeting to consider recommendations for a long-term comprehensive plan to repair and preserve the Mitchell Park Domes

WHERE: Journey House, 2110 West Scott St., Milwaukee

WHEN: Tuesday, August 13, 5:30 PM